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Docket No. R97-1

NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING OF REVISED PAGES AND DISKETTE FOR LIBRARY REFERENCE H-301

The United States Postal Service hereby gives notice that it is filing today revised pages and a revised diskette for the following library reference: H-301, *Spreadsheets and Programs Provided in Response to MMA/USPS-T25-1(C)*.

The changes result from revised benchmark costs at pages III-2 through III-4. These revisions occur for three reasons. First, weighted piggyback factors by shape and basic function at pages III-2 through III-4 changed. This resulted from correction of an error in the two programs in Appendix B (First.Pres.FY96.FXN, line 219 and First.CRRT.FY96.FXN, line 215). Second, the test year costs from Library Reference H-215 were calculated incorrectly in LR-H-301 at page III-8. at page III-8. Third, the ratio of total mail processing labor costs from page III-10 was revised for Computer Forwarding System and Postage Due to be consistent with the Docket No. MC95-1 methodology.

Replacement pages consist of an entirely new Appendix B (the two programs referenced above) as well as Table II-2, pages I-1 through I-3, III-1 through III-4, III-7, III-8 and III-10. The revised diskette incorporates these changes.

Copies will also be available in the Postal Service library.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.



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